

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A phospholipidic composition, whereby said composition is a granulate, said composition containing with a concentration of L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine in a concentration of at least 10% by weight, ~~characterized in that the composition consists of granules and, in addition to containing L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine, the composition also contains~~ and at least one granulation aid selected from the group consisting of a monophosphate, diphosphate or triphosphate of an alkali metal, or an alkaline earth metal, and or a mixture thereof.

2. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 1, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the composition contains the granulation aid in a concentration between 2 % by weight and 50 % by weight.

3. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 1-one of the preceding claims, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the composition contains the granulation aid in a concentration between 10 % by weight and 30 % by weight.

4. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 1-one of the preceding claims, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the granules have a particle size between 0.063 mm and 5 mm.

5. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 1-one of the preceding claims, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ at least one of cellulose and ~~and/or~~ silicon dioxide is also present in the composition.

6. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 5, wherein ~~characterized in that~~ the cellulose concentration in the composition is between 0.5 % by weight and 30 % by weight.

7. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 6, ~~wherein characterized in that~~ the cellulose concentration in the composition is between 5 % by weight and 20 % by weight.

8. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 5 ~~one of claims 5 till 7, wherein characterized in that~~ the cellulose has an average particle size between 60 μm and 150 μm , ~~preferably between 90 μm and 120 μm .~~

9. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 5 ~~one of claims 5 till 8, wherein characterized in that~~ the silicon dioxide concentration in the composition varies between 0.5 % by weight and 3 % by weight, ~~preferably between 1 % by weight and 2 % by weight.~~

10. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 5 ~~one of claims 5 till 9, wherein the silicon dioxide has a particle size between 5 nm and 25 nm, preferably between 10 nm and 20 nm.~~

11. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 5 ~~one of claims 5 till 10, wherein characterized in that~~ the silicon dioxide has a surface area between 100 m^2/g and 300 m^2/g , ~~preferably between 150 m^2/g and 250 m^2/g .~~

12. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 1 ~~one of the preceding claims, wherein characterized in that~~ the composition contains at least one calcium salt of phosphoric acid as a granulation aid.

13. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition of according to Claim 12, ~~wherein characterized in that~~ the calcium salt of phosphoric acid is tricalcium phosphate.

14. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 13~~ of one of the preceding claims, wherein characterized in that the tricalcium phosphate contains at least one of less than 10 % by weight monocalcium phosphate and ~~and/or~~ less than 10 % by weight dicalcium phosphate, each based on the total amount of said tricalcium phosphate.

15. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 1~~ of one of the preceding claims, wherein characterized in that the composition is free of ~~usual~~ binders.

16. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 1~~ of one of the preceding claims, wherein characterized in that the concentration of L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine in the composition is greater than 70 % by weight.

17. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 16, wherein~~ characterized in that the concentration of L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine in the composition is between 80 % by weight and 95 % by weight.

18. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 1~~ of one of claims 1 till 16, wherein characterized in that the composition contains:

10 to 80 % by weight L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine;

0 to 40 % by weight cellulose;

0.5 to 50 % by weight of at least one of calcium monophosphate, calcium diphosphate and ~~and/or~~ calcium triphosphate; and

0.5 to 3 % by weight silicon dioxide.

19. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 18, wherein~~ characterized in that the composition contains:

40 to 70 % by weight L- α -glycerophosphatidylcholine;

10 to 30 % by weight cellulose;

10 to 30 % by weight of at least one of calcium monophosphate, calcium diphosphate and ~~and/or~~ calcium triphosphate; and

1.5 to 2.5 % by weight silicon dioxide.

20. (Currently Amended) The phospholipidic composition ~~of according to Claim 1~~
~~one of the preceding claims, wherein~~ characterized ~~in that~~ the L- α -
glycerophosphatidylcholine is of vegetable origin ~~and is isolated from soybeans in~~
~~particular.~~